

**Congress of the United States**  
**Washington, DC 20515**

April 28, 2022

The Honorable Rosa DeLauro  
Chair  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

The Honorable Kay Granger  
Ranking Member  
Committee on Appropriations  
U.S. House of Representatives  
Washington, D.C. 20515

Dear Chair DeLauro and Ranking Member Granger,

I am requesting funding for the Shasta College Public Safety Fire Training Ground Expansion in the Fiscal Year 2023 Homeland Security appropriations bill.

The project sponsor for this project is the Shasta-Tehama-Trinity Joint Community College District located at 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding, CA 96049-6049. The project itself will take place on the Shasta College Campus located at 11555 Old Oregon Trail, Redding, CA 96003.

This project is a valuable use of taxpayer funds as it is an investment in public service and public safety in the fire service, which is desperately needed in far northern California. The region has been significantly impacted by drought and destructive wildfires, costing millions of dollars annually in firefighting costs and economic loss. This funding would benefit the citizens of Shasta, Tehama, and Trinity Counties by increasing the number of certified fire personnel in the local career pipeline as well as provide required training necessary for existing state and local firefighters.

I certify that neither I nor my immediate family has any financial interest in this project.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Doug LaMalfa", written in a cursive style.

Doug LaMalfa  
Member of Congress